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ABSTRACT

This is a guide to a select number of government publications contained in the library collection of St. Mary's University (Texas). The guide includes primary materials only in significant compilations or in long runs covering many years, and major secondary reference works, with particular emphasis on bibliographies. In addition, information is provided about publications of specific agencies, usually those with a limited scope, that may be of interest to the historian. The following types of documents have been included: (1) general guides, manuals, and bibliographies; (2) other general reference books and general series; (3) history of governmental institutions; (4) statistics; (5) biography; and (6) specialized topics (area studies, historic places, ancient history and archeology, social and labor history, history of science and technology, military history, and archives). Each entry title is followed by its call number and a brief annotation. A subject, title, and agency index concludes the guide. (MAB)

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"Who knows, Dr. Jones? Perhaps in 1000 years even you will be worth something." -- Raiders of the Lost Ark

From the standpoint of historical research, any and all government publications could be considered as potential primary research materials. To limit the scope of this guide, therefore, to a manageable amount of material, only the following types of publications are included:

1) primary materials only in significant compilations (such as Documents on Disarmament), or in long runs covering many years (such as Agriculture Yearbooks); and 2) major secondary reference works, with particular emphasis on bibliographies.

In addition, I have given information about publications of specific agencies, usually those with limited scope, that might be of interest to the historian.

Some older government publications (prior to 1964, when the Academic Library was designated a Federal Depository Library) were cataloged and not moved into the Main Floor documents collection. Most of these are not included in this guide; exceptions include a few massive bibliographies in REF Z (Section I.B. below).

Readers of the following guide will notice immediately that no single agency is responsible for all publications relating to history. Because of this dispersion of pertinent information throughout the Federal government, users of documents are urged to use the indexes described in "Guide to Access" (Government Documents Guide no. 1). Browsing in the documents stacks can turn up many relevant items through serendipity. But for a comprehensive search on any topic, use of the indexes is essential.

Other Government Documents Guides--#2: "Congress, Laws and Regulations," #3: "Publications of the Census Bureau," and #4: "Guide to U.S. Documents in Science and Technology"--may also be useful.

Be aware that this Guide is nothing more than that. It is most definitely not an exhaustive listing of historically interesting documents at St. Mary's. Also be aware that other libraries in the city may have more extensive collections in certain subjects than we do, and we may borrow from these libraries. Ask a librarian for assistance if you have difficulty finding the information you need.

NOTE: Call numbers given after each title are in the Main Floor Federal Documents Collection, unless preceded by a **REF** or **FIRST** or **THIRD FLOOR** designation. For help in deciphering patterns of past and present call number changes, consult Guide to U.S. Government Publications (**REF Z 1223 .Z7 A572**).

U. S. DOCUMENTS IN THE STUDY OF HISTORY

I. General Guides, Manuals and Bibliographies

A. Subject Bibliographies (GP 3.22/2:). Lists of documents available for sale from the Government Printing Office. The Academic Library will not have all the publications listed; and we will have many that are not listed. But these bibliographies can be a good staring place for research. Titles and numbers covering history in general are:

> Disarmament and Arms Control (#127); Foreign Affairs of the U.S. (#75); Foreign Relations of the U.S. (#210); Historical Handbook Series (#16); Immigration, Naturalization and Citizenship (#69); Smithsonian Institution Popular Publications (#252); Treaties & Other International Agreements of the U.S. (#191).

For Subject Bibliographies which pertain to particular subjects, see the pertinent sections below.

B. Other bibliographies

Comprehensive Index to the Publications of the U.S. Government, 1881-1893. (REF Z 1223 A13). By John G. Ames. Arranged by author or department of issue.

A Descriptive Catalogue of the Government Publications of the U.S., 1774-1881. (REF Z 1223 A1885). By Benjamin P. Poore. Each entry is annotated, with series information; contains an index, but it is difficult to use.

Guide to the Study of the U.S. 1960, 1976. (REF Z 1215 U53). Edited by Roy P. Basler. Covers all aspects of American civilization. Most entries are annotated.

Writings on American History. (REF INDEX TABLES). 1902- . Covers all work of research value; considerable time lag between coverage and publication years.

II. Other General Reference Books and General Series

A. State Department series of documents in foreign policy:

Foreign Relations of the U.S. 1914- . (S 1.1:). Annual volumes of diplomatic correspondence between the U.S. and foreign countries. Includes text of treaties, Presidential and other special messages. Some volumes are subtitled by the area of the world treated. Dates of publication are much later than the years covered.

A Decade of American Foreign Policy: Basic Documents, 1941-49. (S 1.69:415)

American Foreign Policy Basic Documents, 1977-80. (S 1.69:346).

American Foreign Policy Annual Documents, 1956-67. 1981- . (Also called Current Documents) (S 1.71/2:, S 1.71/2-2:). These compilations contain documents (speeches, messages, press conferences, interviews, congressional testimony, etc.) expressing the goals and objectives of U.S. foreign policy by members of the Executive Branch. They are arranged chronologically by topical and geographic chapters. Each volume has an index and annotations, including references to other publications.

Beginning in 1981, annual supplements on microfiche appear. (S 1.71/2-2:) These include full texts of documents extracted in the printed volumes, and other material omitted from the main volumes for reasons of space. Printed finding aids list documents by number. Arrangement is keyed to chapters in the printed volumes.

Current Policy. (S 1.71/4:). Individual texts of addresses, statements, etc. on foreign policy matters. Indexing is through the Monthly Catalog only. (See Government Documents Guide #1: Guide to Access.)

B. Treaties

Treaties and Other International Agreements of the U.S. (S 9.12/2:). 1776-1949. Edited by Charles I. Bevans. English texts or official translations of treaties. Multilateral volumes are arranged chronologically, with a brief index in each volume. Other volumes cover bi-lateral agreements alphabetically by country. Volume 13 is a general index to the entire set.

Treaties and Other International Agreements. (S 9.12:).1950-. Official publication of texts of treaties. They are arranged in numerical order; volumes include subject and country indexes. Prior to appearance in these bound volumes, treaties are received in "slip" form and shelved at S 9.10: .

Treaties in Force. (S 9.14:). 1981- . Includes multilateral and bilateral agreements.

C. Other Series

1. Congressional Record. (X). 1964- . Since 1977, the "bound" edition of this basic compilation has been received in microfiche. Paper daily issues are kept until the microfiche is received. Record and similar publications for earlier years are available as follows:

Congressional Record, 1873-1963--microfilm, on First Floor of the Library

Congressional Globe, 1833-1873--microfiche, on First Floor of the Library

Register of Debates, 1824-1837--microfiche, on First Floor of the Library

Annals of Congress, 1789-1824--microfiche, on First Floor of Library

2. Serial Set. (Y 1.1/2:). 1964- . Comprised of "Reports" and "Documents." Reports are the comments, occasionally including dissenting views, which accompany bills out of Committee. Documents are a miscellaneous collection whatever the Congress decides to print. Some are ceremonial, some substantive. There are separate numerical sequences of reports and documents for Senate and House in each session of Congress.

3. Documents on Disarmament. (AC 1.11/2:). 1963- . Documents include reports, addresses, statements, proposals, etc., dealing with arms control from both U.S. and foreign sources. Volumes include topical and chronological lists of documents, bibliographies, lists of persons (with brief biographical information) and lists of Arms Control and Disarmament Agency depository libraries.

4. Statutes at Large. (AE 2.111:). 1935- . Laws are first published in "slip" form, shelved at AE 2.110: . A year or two later, a bound Statutes volume is published. Both forms include full text of the laws, with a brief legislative history, including Congressional Record citations and Senate/House report numbers.

D. Major Reference Books of General Interest

1. Handbook of American Indians. (SI 1.20/2:). 1978- . Planned set of 20 volumes summarizing knowledge of prehistory, history and culture of Indians north of Mexico.

2. Legislation on Foreign Relations Through... (Y 4. F 76/2-10:). Updated every two years; Library keeps current edition only.

3. U.S. Code. (Y 1.2/5:). Published every 5 years; Library keeps most recent edition and supplements only. Summarizes the law in force by subject area, with references to Statutes at Large so that the full text may be found easily.

4. Legislative Histories. Exhaustive legislative histories of important laws can be found among the publications of many different agencies and Congressional Committees. To locate histories published since 1976, use the Monthly Catalog CD-ROM workstation. Perform a title keyword search, using the words "Legislative" and "History" along with keywords from the law's official title.

E. Agencies Generating Publications of Interest

1. Library of Congress (LC); note especially LC 1.2: (General Publications), LC 1.6/4: (Handbooks, Manuals, Guides), and LC 1.12/2: (Bibliographies).

2. American Revolution Bicentennial Commission. (Y 3.Am 3/6)

3. U. S. Holocaust Memorial Council (Y 3. H 74:). See also Pr 39.8:H 74, Presidential Commission on the Holocaust.

4. Smithsonian Institution (SI).

III. History of Governmental Institutions

Subject Bibliographies (GP 3.22/2:). See description of series at I.A. Titles and numbers relevant to governmental institutions are:

Census of Governments (#156); Congress (#201); Federal Government (#141); Presidents of the U.S. (#106); Watergate Activities (#105).

A. Congress

Cumulative Index of Congressional Committee Hearings. (Y 1.3:H 35/2/959/supp.3,5-7). Volumes in the Academic Library cover the years 1967-71 and 1975-80. Volumes for other years (prior to 1980) can be found in other local libraries. Information given is brief: only date, bill number and Senate Library information (not Superintendent of Documents Classification number). There is also a list of Committee Prints.

Historical Almanac of the U.S. Senate. (Y 1.1/2:13947). 1989. Chronology of important events relating to the Senate. Includes many photographs and other illustrations, and an index.

Index to the Journals of the Continental Congress. (GS 4.2:C 76/2/774-89). 1976.
Index to the Papers of the Continental Congress. (GS 4.2:C 76/3/774-789). 1978. Indexes journals and other papers at the National Archives by person, place and subject. Volume 5 of the Papers index is a chronological listing.

Letters of Delegates to Congress. (Publication is still in progress) (LC 1.34:). Includes all documents written by delegates to Congress bearing directly on their work during 1774-89.

The Senate, 1789-1989: Addresses on the History of the U.S. Senate. (Y 1.1/2:13723). By Robert Byrd. A compilation of Byrd's addresses, delivered on the Senate floor from 1981-87. Extensive notes, a short bibliography and a detailed index are included.

B. The Presidency

Inaugural Addresses of the Presidents of the U.S. (Y 1.1/2:13914). 1989. Gives addresses of presidents from Washington through Bush. A brief historical note, and picture, precede each text.

Index to Presidential Papers. (LC 4.7:). Indexes collections of papers in the Library of Congress; includes 23 presidents, Calvin Coolidge being the most recent.

Presidential Vetoes. (Y 1.3:V 64/2/789-976). 1978. Lists vetoes chronologically; gives bill numbers and references to veto messages and other related material. There is a subject index.

Public Papers of the Presidents. (THIRD FLOOR--J 82). Texts of documents from administrations of Hoover to the present (Franklin Roosevelt excepted).

Weekly Compilation of Presidential Documents. (FIRST FLOOR--PERIODICALS). Texts of documents which are later compiled into the Public Papers series.

C. Agencies

Individual agencies often publish self-histories. Some examples are: First 100 Years of the Bureau of Labor Statistics. (L 2.3:2235); Donovan and the CIA. (PrEx 3.10:D 71). Consult the documents CD-ROM catalog for particular agency histories. Combine "HISTORY" with keywords from the agency's name in performing a subject search.

IV. Statistics

Subject Bibliographies (GP 3.22/2:). See description of series at I.A. Titles and numbers relevant to statistics are:

> Agricultural Research, Statistics and Economic Reports (#162); Educational Statistics (#83); Statistical publications (#273); Vital and Health Statistics (#121).

A. Census Material (our holdings of older Census reports are somewhat sketchy; the downtown Public Library holds a much more extensive collection)

1. 1920, 1930 Census reports. Information on population, economic conditions and agriculture were combined in the same censuses. Basic classification numbers are:

> 1920: C 3.28/5:
> 1930: C 3.37/5:

The Academic Library also has some monographs from the 1920 Census which cover such subjects as the position of women, the condition of blacks, the farm population and immigrants. They are classified C 3.30: .

2. 1960 Census reports. Reports in major series for Texas are shelved with more recent reports (see below). A series of monographs are classified C 3.30: and cover such topics as education, income distribution, blacks and the rural population.

3. 1970, 1980 Census reports. Basic classification numbers are C 3.223: for Population Census and C 3.224: for Housing Census. For a more detailed description of our holdings, see Government Documents Guide #3, "Publications of the Census Bureau."

4. Economic Censuses. The Academic Library has holdings from the 1960's to the present. Subjects include manufacturing, construction, minerals, retail and wholesale trade, and service industries. See Government Documents Guide #3 for more detailed information.

5. Mortality Statistics (C 3.40:). 1914-33. Cross-tabulated by location, age, cause, race and sex. Later information is found in Vital Statistics of the U.S. (HE 20.6210:). 1966- .

6. Financial Statistics of Cities (C 3.47/2:). 1917-34. Includes information on revenues and expenditures of city governments. Later information is found in Census of Governments reports (C 3.145/4:). 1967- .

B. Other Census Bureau publications

1. Bureau of the Census Catalog. (C 3.163:). 1790- . First volume covers the years 1790-1972. Subsequently, the catalog is published annually. Monthly information on new publications can be found in the Monthly Product Announcement (C 3.163/7:). Arrangement of the Catalog is by broad subject, and there is a detailed index. Descriptive abstracts are given for most titles.

As comprehensive and potentially useful as this catalog is, for Academic Library users it can be frustrating because Superintendent of Documents classification numbers are not given for all of the titles it lists. If a document you need appears in the Catalog without a classification number, that does not mean that we do not have it in the Library. Consult a librarian for assistance, or look for the title in the Monthly Catalog.

County and City Data Book. (C 3.134/2:C 83). 1949, 1952, 1956, 1962, 1967, 1972, 1977, 1983, 1988. Data by counties and towns of 2500 or more population (with some information by regions and states) from most recent Censuses as well as from other government agencies and private sources.

Historical Statistics of the U.S. (C 3.134/2:H 62). 1789-1945, 1946-52, "Colonial Times" to 1957 (with supplement to 1962) and to 1970. Time series, mostly annual, providing a statistical history of U.S. social, economic, political and geographic development. Data is given by nation, states and selected cities.

Statistical Abstract. (C 3.134:) 1915, 1920- . Standard annual summary of U.S. social, political and economic statistics, with recent time series which vary from volume to volume. There is some international data and a guide to sources of material. The most recent edition is kept at the Reference Desk and may not be checked out. Older editions circulate.

V. Biography

Biographical Directory of the U.S. Congress, 1774-1989. (Y 1.1/2:13849). Chronological section lists members by Congress and state; biographical section gives sketches alphabetically. Directory is updated at intervals.

Black Americans in Congress. (Y 1.1/2:13947). 1990. Includes portrait, brief biography and references for further information.

National Portrait Gallery publications (SI 11.2:)

NOTE: Individual agencies often publish biographies of important figures in the history of the agency. For example: U.S. Chiefs of Mission, 1778-1982. (S 1.69:147/2). Consult the documents CD-ROM catalog for particular agency biographies.

VI. Specialized Topics

A. Area Studies

1. Library of Congress bibliographies

Many useful research bibliographies can be found under the call number LC 1.12/2:.... Several of these pertain to publications about, or from, particular countries or parts of the world. Some examples are: The U.S. and Africa: 1785-1975 (LC 1.12/2:Af 8/2/785-975); Japanese National Government Publications in the Library of Congress (LC 1.12/2:J 27/3); Human Rights in Latin America
(LC 1.12/2:L 34/2/964-70).

2. Subject Bibliographies (GP 3.22/2:). See description of series at I.A. Titles and numbers relevant to area studies are:

Africa (#284); Asia and Oceania (#288); China (#299); Europe, Including UK (#289); Foreign Area Studies (#166); Latin America and the Caribbean (#287); Middle East (#286); Soviet Union (#279).

3. Other publications

Background Notes (RESERVE). Booklets from the State Dept. giving concise factual information on land, history, government, economy, etc., for nearly 200 countries. Reading lists are included.

Country Reports on Human Rights Practices. (Y 4. F 76/1-15:). 1979- . Reviews the human rights records of all nations receiving U.S. foreign aid, plus some which do not, but are members of the United Nations. Appendixes include signatories of human rights agreements and statistical tables of U.S. aid.

Country Studies. (Individually cataloged and shelved on the Third Floor; consult Public Catalog for call numbers.) Detailed analyses of social, political and economic institutions for most countries. Include extensive bibliographies.

B. Historic Places

1. Subject Bibliographies (GP 3.22/2:). See description of series at I.A. Title and number relevant to historic places is:

Public Buildings, Landmarks and Historic Sites of the U.S. (#140).

2. Historic America: buildings, structures, sites. (LC 1.2:H 62/5). 1983. Contains essays on the work of the Historic American Buildings Survey and a comprehensive list of the sites recorded by the survey.

3. National Park Service Series

Handbooks (I 29.9/5:). Give detailed information on events and persons associated with the park or site; include national parks, national historic sites and national monuments.

Historical Handbooks (I 29.58:). Earlier series which includes detailed information on different historic sites and national monuments.

4. Other Agencies publishing material of interest

Heritage Conservation & Recreation Service (I 70.)
Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (Y 3. H 62:)
U.S. Capitol Historical Society (Y 3.H 62/2:)
U.S. Supreme Court Historical Society (Y 3. H 62/3:)
White House Historical Society (Y 3. H 62/4:)

NOTE: Other agencies with missions unrelated to history may publish studies of historical sites of importance to the purview of the agency. For example: A Nation in Motion: Historical American Transportation Sites. (TD 1.2:N 21/6). Consult the documents CD-ROM catalog for these kinds of publications.

C. Ancient History and Archeology

Subject Bibliographies (GP 3.22/2:). See description of series at I.A. Title and number relevant to ancient history and archeology is:

Anthropology and Archeology (#205).

1. National Park Service series:

Publications in Archeology (I 29.59:)
Cultural Resource Management Studies (I 19.86:)
Historic Structure Reports (I 29.88)
Publications in Anthropology (I 29.92:)

2. Smithsonian Institution series:

Contributions to Anthropology (SI 3.11:, SI 1.33:)
Folklife Studies (SI 1.43:)
General Publications (SI 1.2:)

D. History of Science & Technology

1. Bibliography

Bibliography of the History of Medicine. (HE 20.3615:). Annual. 1964- . Covers articles, monographs, and conference proceedings world-wide. One section contains references to biographical information on the medical histories of famous persons, medical aspects of artistic works, and biographies of those in health related professions. A second section indexes references by subject, subdivided, where appropriate, by geographical or chronological headings. There is a detailed contents list of subject headings which includes cross references.

2. Important Series

a. Agriculture Yearbook. (A 1.10:). 1920- . Devoted to a different topic each year, they contain articles and illustrations, some statistics, and usually an index.

b. Bulletin of the U.S. National Museum (SI 3.3:). 1957-70. Some early numbers are missing. Each bulletin is a scholarly monograph.

c. Minerals Yearbook. (I 28.37:). 1930- . (Some early years are missing.) Comprehensive review of U.S. and foreign mineralogical and metallurgical developments; statistics; domestic volume includes a chapter on each state.

d. NASA Special Publications, beginning with number 4201 (NAS 1.21:4201- -). Histories of various NASA projects, such as Project Mercury (#4201), Skylab (#4208), etc.

e. National Air & Space Museum (SI 9). These publications utilize the museum's collections, which memorialize the history of manned flight of all types. We receive all available publications. Of particular interest is the series Annals of Flight (SI 9.9:), consisting of 10 volumes published from 1964-74.

f. Proceedings of the U.S. National Museum (SI 3.6:). 1899-1968 (v.21-125). Some early volumes are missing. Each volume is a collection of scholarly articles.

g. Smithsonian Year (SI 1.1:). Earlier title is Annual Report. Annual. 1930- . Reports activities of the major government science museum.

h. Studies in History and Technology (SI 1.28:).

NOTE: Individual agencies may be valuable sources; for example: Toward the Endless Frontier: History of the Committee on Science & Technology (Y 1.2:F 92/959-79). Also, Documents Library Guide #4--"Guide to U.S. Documents in Science and Technology"--may contain other useful references.

E. Social and Labor History

Subject Bibliographies (GP 3.22/2:). See description of series at I.A. Titles and numbers relevant to social and labor history are:

> Agricultural Research, Statistics and Economic Reports (#162); Crime and Criminal Justice (#36); Educational Statistics (#83); Employment and Occupations (#44); Higher Education (#217); Immigration, Naturalization & Citizenship (#69); Labor-Management Relations (#64); Minorities (#6); Prices, Wages and the Cost of Living (#226); Retirement (#285); Social Security (#165); Social Welfare and Services (#30); Vital and Health Statistics (#121).

Handbook of Labor Statistics (volumes for 1929, 1931: L 2.3:491, 541; 1967- : L 2.3/5:). The old volumes in this standard statistical compendium contain contain analysis and reports in addition to tables of data. The newer editions provide statistics only.

Labor Force Statistics Derived from the Current Population Survey, 1948-87. (L 2.3:2307). Compilation of monthly, quarterly and yearly statistics from various labor force series of the CPS. There are numerous cross-tabulations by age, educational level, sex, marital status, etc.

Papers on U.S. Immigration History. (Y 3.Im 6/2:2 Im 6/app.). 1981. Published with reports of the Select Commission on Immigration and Refugee Policy. Volumes of background studies cover refugees, legal and illegal immigration, temporary workers, etc.

F. Military History

1. Bibliographies

a. Subject Bibliographies (GP 3.22/2:). See description of series at I.A. Titles and numbers relevant to military history are:

American Revolution (#144); Armed Forces (#131); Civil War (#192); Historical Handbook Series (#16); Marine Corps Publications (#237); Military History (#98); National Defense and Security (#153); Public Buildings, Landmarks, etc. (#140); U.S. Naval History (#236).

b. Revolutionary America, 1763-89: a Bibliography. (LC 2.12/2:R 32/4/763-789). A guide to the Library of Congress' most valuable printed primary and secondary works on the period, published through 1972.

2. General reference books and series

American Military History. (D 114.2:M 59). 1968. Survey designed as a text for a ROTC course. Contains extensive bibliographical references and a detailed index.

Guide to the Study and Use of Military History. (D 114.12:St 9). 1982. Covers all of world history. Includes a bibliographical guide and lists of journals and reference works.

Medal of Honor Recipients, 1863-1978. (Y 4.V 64/4:M 46/3/863-978). Contains citations for all awards of the medal grouped by war, campaign or historical era.

Air Force History Office series:

General Histories (D 301.82/3:)
Special Studies (D 301.82/4:)
Reference Series (D 301.82/5:)
Air Staff Historical Study (D 301.82/6:)
U.S. Air Force Warrior Series (D 301.96:)

3. Specific reference books and series

Naval Documents of the American Revolution. (D 207.12:).
War of the Rebellion; a compilation of the official records of the Union and Confederate armies. (THIRD FLOOR E 464 .U61)
American Armies and Battlefields in Europe. (Y 3.Am 3:B 32/938)
U.S. Army in the World War (1917-19). (D 114.8:). v.1- . Series published in the 1940's is now being reprinted.
History of U.S. Marine Corps Operations in World War II. (THIRD FLOOR D 769.369 U53).
U.S. Army in World War II. (D 114.7:)
U.S. Air Force in Southeast Asia. (D 301.86, 86/2:)
U.S. Army in Vietnam. (D 114.7/3:)
U.S. Government and the Vietnam War (Y 4.F76/2: S.prt.98-185/pt.1-4).

G. Archives

Subject Bibliographies (GP 3.22/2:). See description of series at I.A. Title and number relevant to archives is:

Libraries and Library Collections (#150).

1. The National Archives

(Publications dated prior to 1986 are classified GS 4.; after that date, AE 2.)

Guide to the National Archives of the U.S. (GS 4.6/2:N 21). 1974. Describes the records of government agencies held by the Archives.

Guide to the Records of the U.S.Senate at the National Archives. (Y 1.1/3:100-42; NB: This publication will eventually be given a Serial Set number; i.e., Y 1.1/2:xxxxx). 1989.
Guide to the Records of the U.S. House of Representatives at the National Archives. (Y 1.1/2:13886). 1989. Describes committee and general records, divided into pre- and post-1968 archives. Useful addition material includes: an introductory chapter on research methodology, a glossary of terms, bibliography and detailed index.

2. Other Archives

Guide to the Research Collections of Former U.S. Senators, 1789-1982. (Y 1.1/2:13444). 1983.
Guide to the Research Collections of Former Members of the U.S. House of Representatives, 1789-1987. (Y 1.1/7:100-171; NB: This publication will eventually be given a Serial Set number; i.e., Y 1.1/2:xxxxx).
Identifies repositories of papers, oral history tapes and tape transcripts.

Special Collections in the Library of Congress.
(LC 1.6/4:C 68). 1980. Describes collections selected by the Library's reference staff for their rarity or potential interest to scholars. An appendix reviews the Library's different divisions; index.

Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (Y 3. H 62:) 9
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American Foreign Policy Annual Documents (S 1.71/2:) 3
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